

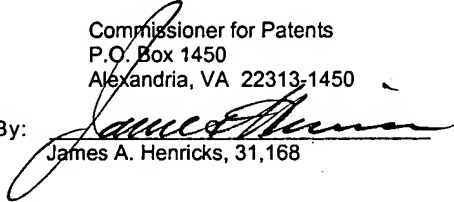


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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND**

**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks for a 1-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated October 6, 2005.

The new due date will be: February 6, 2006.

Applicant is not a small entity; accordingly submitted herewith is our check:

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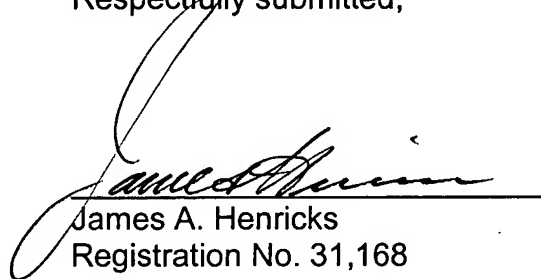
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Reply to Office Action of: October 6, 2005  
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Please charge any additional fees that may be due or credit any overpayments to our deposit Account No. 50-0655. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed. If a petition is required in conjunction with this paper, please consider this such a petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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